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POW Explanation

Topic Sentence
(Indent!)

Detail (Strategy)

Details (How did I
solve this?)

Concluding
sentence

POW Checklist

Did I:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Indent at the beginning of the paragraph?
<input type="checkbox"/>	Write a topic sentence (with a capital letter at the beginning of the paragraph and included end punctuation) that restated the question/problem that needs to be solved?
<input type="checkbox"/>	Write a detail sentence that explains the strategy or strategies that I used to solve the POW?
<input type="checkbox"/>	Write 2 (or more) clear, detail sentences that explain how I figured out the POW?
<input type="checkbox"/>	Include a concluding sentence?
<input type="checkbox"/>	Include the answer somewhere in my paragraph?
<input type="checkbox"/>	Edit my work to make sure that I have included capitalization and end punctuation in the correct places?